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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon, Tuesday, 9th inst., for the erection of a two-story brick building, facing Government street, for Robt. Russell, Esq. Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.
je2 Times copy.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon Saturday, 6th June, for additions to the residence of M. W. Waitt, Esq., corner of Quadra and Alfred streets. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.
je2 Times copy.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to make application, in sixty days from date, to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to purchase an island containing about sixty acres, more or less, situated on the mouth of the Huxtal River, between the British American Packing Co. on one side and the Balmoral Cannery on the other side.

FRANK RYSTED,
HERMANN BRAUTLECHT.
June 1st, 1891. je2

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS will be received for the erection and completion of a frame residence for Joseph Sayward, Esq., at corner of Moss and Belcher streets, on or before Thursday, the 11th instant, at 12 noon. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

A. MAXWELL MUIR, Architect, Turner Building, Douglas Street.
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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between Thomas Hooper and S. May Goddard, as architects, under the firm name of Hooper & Goddard, stands dissolved as from this date. The undersigned will settle the business of the late firm, and will collect all accounts due to them and complete all engagements entered into by them.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1891.
je2-4t THOMAS HOOPER.

Selkirk Mining and Smelting Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

AN ADJOURNED GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders of the Selkirk Mining and Smelting Company, Limited, will be held at No 48 Langley Street, Victoria, on Thursday, 4th inst., at 11 a.m.

GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., 1st June, 1891. je2

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the undermentioned tract of land in Sayward district:

No. 1. Commencing at a corner post on the west boundary of Messrs. Ross & Maclaren's timber lease claim (known as Lot 51, Sayward district) about 200 chains north of Campbell Lake, thence west about two miles to the eastern boundary of the British Columbia Mills Timber and Trading Company's claim, thence following said boundary line in a southerly and westerly direction to its intersection with the 50th parallel, thence east along the 50th parallel about four miles to the south-west corner of lot 102, thence north three miles, thence east 120 chains, thence north about 150 chains to the place of commencement, containing 5,000 acres.

No. 2 Commencing at the intersection of the southern boundary of Lot 50 with King's Lake, thence west 115 chains, thence south 80 chains to the north-west corner of Lot 51 Sayward district, thence continuing south 220 chains, thence west 300 chains to the British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Company's claim, thence north to Kings Lake, thence following the eastern shore of said lake in a northerly direction to the place of commencement, containing about 4,000 acres.

JOHN DAVIDSON.
J. A. STRATHY.
Dated the first day of June, 1891. je2

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THOMAS HOOPER,
ARCHITECT.

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THE SEAL FISHERIES.

Text of Secretary Blaine's Latest Communication to Sir Julian Pauncefote.

Basis of the Negotiations for which a Close Season is Proposed.

Sealing by Canadian and American Vessels to be Prohibited Till May, 1892

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The State Department to-day made public the recent correspondence on the Behring's Sea fishery question. The first communication is from Secretary Blaine to Sir Julian Pauncefote, and it reads as follows:

Washington, D.C., May 4, 1891.

Sir:—During the month of March last, a few days after the adjournment of Congress, acting upon the instructions of the President, I proposed to you that a *modus vivendi* be agreed upon touching the seal fisheries, pending the result of arbitration of the questions at issue between the two governments. The President's first proposal, which I submitted to you, was that no Canadian sealers should come within a certain number of miles of the Prybyloff Islands. It was, however, the conclusion of the President after reading Lord Salisbury's dispatch of February 21st, that this *modus vivendi* might possibly provoke a conflict in the Behring's Sea, and to avoid that result he instructed me to propose that sealing both on land and sea should be suspended by both nations during the progress of the arbitration, or during the season of 1891. On both occasions it was a conversational exchange of views. The first took place in my office at the state department, and the second at my residence. The President was so desirous of a prompt response from Lord Salisbury to his second proposition, that I venture to suggest that you request an answer by cable, if reliable, as the President was anxious to receive an answer (which he trusted would be favorable) before he should set out on his tour of the Pacific States. He left Washington on the night of April 13th, without having heard a word from your Government. It was then a full month after he had instructed me to open negotiations on the question, and the only probable inference was that Lord Salisbury would not agree to the proposal. The silence of Lord Salisbury implied, as seemed not improbable, that he would not restrain the Canadian sealers from entering Behring Sea, and, as all intelligence from British Columbia showed that the sealers were getting ready to seal in large numbers, the President found that he could not with justice prevent the lessees from taking seals on the Prybyloff islands. The President, therefore, instructed the Secretary of the Treasury, who has official charge of the subject, to issue to the lessees the privilege of killing on the islands the coming season the maximum number of sixty thousand seals, subject, however, to the absolute discretion and power of an agent appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury to limit the killing to as small a number as the condition of the herd might in his opinion demand.

On the 22nd of April, eight days after the President had left Washington, you notified me when I was absent from the capitol, that the Marquis of Salisbury was ready to agree that all sealing should be suspended pending the result of arbitration. On the 23rd of April I telegraphed Lord Salisbury's proposition to the President. He replies on April 25th, expressing great satisfaction with Lord Salisbury's message, but instructing me to inform you that "some seals must be killed by the natives for food;" that the lessees are bound under lease from the Government to feed and care for the natives, making it necessary to send a ship to the Prybyloff Islands, each season, at their expense, and that for this service—a very expensive one—the lesees should find their compensation in taking a moderate number of seals under the lease. The President expressed his belief that this allowance should be readily agreed to by Lord Salisbury, because the necessity is absolute. You will remember that when I communicated this proposition from the President to you, on the evening of April 27th, you did not agree with the President's suggestion. On the contrary, you expressed yourself as confident that Lord Salisbury would not accept it. That in your judgment the killing of seals must be cut off absolutely on the land and in the water, and that it could not be stopped on either unless stopped on both.

The narrative of facts which I have given (absolutely necessary for clearly understanding the position of the Government) brings me to a further statement which I am directed by the president to submit. The president refuses to believe that Lord Salisbury can possibly maintain the position you have taken when his lordship is placed in full possession of the facts which I shall now submit to you somewhat in detail.

When the privilege of killing seals on the Island of St. George and St. Paul in Behring Sea was leased to the North American Company for a certain sum per skin, to be paid to the government, other duties of an onerous and costly and responsible character were imposed upon the company.

Under their lease the company is obliged to "Furnish to the inhabitants of the Island of St. George and St. Paul annually, such quantities or number of dried salmon, and such quantity of salt and such number of barrels for preserving their supply of meat as the secretary of the treasury shall from time to time determine

The company is further obliged to furnish to the inhabitants of these islands 80 tons of coal annually, and a sufficient number of comfortable dwellings in which said natives may reside, and shall keep such dwellings in proper repair. The company is further obliged "To provide and keep in repair such suitable houses as may be necessary, and shall establish and maintain during eight months of each year proper schools for the education of the children on said islands, the same to be taught by competent teachers who shall be paid by the company a fair compensation, all to the satisfaction of the Secretary of the Treasury. The company is further obliged "to maintain a suitable house for religious worship, and will also provide a competent physician or physicians, and necessary and proper medicine and medical supplies." The company is still further obliged "to provide the necessaries of life for widows and orphans, aged and infirm inhabitants of said islands who are unable to provide for themselves," and it is finally provided "that all the foregoing agreements shall be done and performed by the company free from all costs and charges to said native inhabitants of said islands, or to the United States, and it is still further the duty of the company to employ the native inhabitants of the said islands to perform such labor upon the islands as they are fitted to perform, and to pay therefor a fair and just compensation, such as may be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury. And also the company agree to contribute as far as in its power all reasonable efforts to the comfort, health and education, and promote morals and civilization of said native inhabitants. In short, then, the means of living, facilities for education, care of health, the religious teaching, training of young and old in a community of over 300 persons are all imposed upon the company as its solemn duty by specific articles of the lease. I enclose you a copy of the census of 1890, giving every name of the 308 persons, old and young, male and female, who constitute the whole community of the Prybyloff Islands. Duties thus imposed upon the company must be discharged annually with punctuality and exactness. The comfort, possibly the safety of all these human beings, peculiarly helpless when left to themselves, is dependent upon the company under the lease, and the lessees are paid therefor by the government in the seal skins which the company receives for their service. If the company shall, as you say Lord Salisbury requests, be deprived of all privileges of taking seals, they certainly could not be compelled to minister to the wants of these three hundred inhabitants for an entire year. If these islanders are to be left to the charity of the North Americans, under no more obligations to extend it them than are other citizens of the United States, it evidently requires a considerable sum of money to furnish the supplies named in the lease—supplies which must be carried 4,000 miles on a specially chartered steamer. If the lessees are not to be allowed payment in any way for the amount necessary to support these 300 people on the islands, then they will naturally decline to expend it. No appropriation of money has been paid by Congress for the purpose, and the President cannot leave these worthy and innocent people to the hazard of starvation even to secure any form of agreement with Lord Salisbury touching seal life. Seal life may be valuable, but the first duty fo the Government of the United States in the matter is to protect human life. In this exigency the President instructs me to propose to Lord Salisbury that he concede to the North American Co. the right to take a sufficient number of seals, and no more than sufficient, to recompense them for their outlay in taking care of the natives, and in the phrase of the President "all commercial killing of seals shall be prohibited, pending the results of the arbitration."

The Secretary of the Treasury has the right to fix the number necessary to the end desired. After full consideration he has limited the number to 7,500 to be killed by the company to repay them for the outlay demanded for the support of the 300 people on the Prebyloff islands. He further directs that no females be killed, and that thus the productive capacity of the herd shall not be, to the slightest degree, impaired. This point being fixed and agreed to, the proposed arrangement between the two countries should be as follows:—The Government of the United States limits the number of seals to be killed on the islands for the purposes just described to 7,500. The Government of the United States guarantees that no seals shall be killed in the open waters of Behring's Sea by any person or on any vessel sailing under the American flag, or by American citizens sailing under any other flag. The Government of Great Britain guarantees that no seals shall be killed in the open waters of the Behring's Sea by any person on any vessel sailing under the British flag, and that no British subject shall engage in killing seals for the time agreed upon on any vessels sailing under any other flag. Those prohibitions shall continue until the first day of May, 1892, within which time the arbitrators shall render a final award or awards to both Governments. These several propositions are submitted for the consideration of Lord Salisbury. The President believes that they are calculated to produce a result at once fair and honorable to both Governments, and thus lead to to the permanent adjustment of a controversy which has already been left too long at issue.

I have the honor to be, sir, with the highest consideration,

Your obedient servant,
JAMES G. BLAINE.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, G. C. M. G., K.C.B., etc.

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CHARLOTTE TOWN, P. E. I.—Bank of Nova Scotia and Merchant's Bank of Halifax.
MONTREAL.—Bank of Montreal, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Molsons Bank, Bank of Nova Scotia and Merchants Bank of Halifax.
TORONTO.—Bank of Montreal, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Imperial Bank of Canada, Molsons Bank, Bank of Hamilton and Traders Bank of Canada.
WINNIPEG.—Bank of Montreal, Imperial Bank of Canada, Molsons Bank and Commercial Bank of Manitoba.

The Bank of British Columbia will redeem at par the notes of each of the above mentioned Banks at any of its Branches in British Columbia.

WM. C. WARD,
Victoria, B.C., June 1, 1891. Manager.
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SLOWLY SINKING.

Sir John Still Lingering Between Life and Death—His Marvellous Vitality.

He is Now Existing on Stimulants which are Administered at Intervals.

Scores of Telegrams of Sympathy Received at Earnscliffe—The Latest Bulletins.

SUNDAY.

OTTAWA, May 31.—Sir John Macdonald's condition is practically unchanged since last evening, except that his vital powers seem gradually weakening. Touching references to the dying premier were made in all the churches, both Catholic and Protestant, to-day.

Sir John's life now hangs on a slender thread. He is fighting with characteristic tenacity against the dread visitor, but with vitality slowly ebbing away. The unequal struggle cannot be much longer maintained. Since Friday afternoon, though deprived of the power of speech, he has maintained that cheerfulness for which he is so noted in health. Though still conscious, he realizes that his doom is approaching, and seems prepared for the final call. With his left arm, which is still serviceable, he makes known his desires. He passed the night quietly, and enjoyed a period of brief rest. Whenever Lady Macdonald enters the sick room, his face, which has assumed an ashen hue, lights up. Nothing can describe the attachment he entertains for the talented woman, who for many years has been the wife of Canada's greatest statesman. The windows of the sick room are flung wide open as the heat is oppressive. In the ante-room is a large table, on which lie hundreds of cablegrams and dispatches from England, Canada and the United States, which arrive momentarily. Two secretaries are busily engaged dictating to assistants. Queen Victoria, Lord Salisbury, Lord Lorne, Lord Lansdowne, and scores of distinguished people have sent cablegrams of inquiry, coupled with regrets at the premier's condition.

BULLETINS.

OTTAWA, June 1.—1 p.m.—Sir John's condition is much the same. He is a little weak. The nurse has just turned him from the left to the right side, and he took some liquids.

2 p. m.—Very little change in Sir John. In a weak condition, but conscious.

Earnscliffe, 7 p.m.—Sir John's condition is unchanged from last bulletin. He is lingering on.

Earnscliffe, 8 p.m.—There is no change in Sir John's condition. He is resting quietly, and slowly sinking.

Earnscliffe, 9 p.m.—The nurse just turned Sir John over in bed, and gave him some nourishment. He is very low.

EARNSCLIFFE, 10 p.m.—Sir John is sinking very fast. The doctors will issue a consultation bulletin about 10:30 p.m.

EARNSCLIFFE, 10:45 p.m.—The Premier passed the day marked by periods of more than usual depression. He has taken a small amount of nourishment. Consciousness remains much the same as during the past two days. He suffers no pain. There is every prospect of his passing through the night.

EARNSCLIFFE, June 2, 1 a.m.—No material change in Sir John's condition. He is slowly sinking.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 1.—Sir John Macdonald holds on to life with a marvellous grip. He is undoubtedly weaker than he was twenty-four hours ago, but there is a prospect of his lasting a day or two yet. He has taken considerable nourishment during the day, consisting of tea and milk, and has also been stimulated by a spoonful of champagne. Sir James Grant told the COLONIST correspondent to-night that the Premier had frequent bad spells during the day, so much so that often the inmates of Earnscliffe thought he was actually in *extremis*. His temperature is normal, and circulation irregular. Undoubtedly, however, the stimulants have had the effect of bracing him up, but there is not the slightest possibility of any development of a recuperative power. Said Sir James Grant, he is as heroic in death as he was in life, showing the marvellous material he is made of. Rev. Bougert, rector of St. Alban's church, read the prayers for the visitation of the sick, to-day. The Governor-General spent an hour at Earnscliffe, to-night, waiting for news. He then cabled the information to the Queen. Hundreds of telegrams of sympathy were received to-day, but only two or three notable ones. Lansdowne cabled from Simla: "I grieve for you and for Canada." Lorne cabled: "Our thoughts are, with deepest sympathy, at Earnscliffe." Lord Knutsford and others sent sympathetic messages.

Big Fire in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, May 31.—The largest fire for many years occurred this afternoon. The Norton block, a three-story wooden structure used for stores and lodging rooms corner of Hill and Seventh streets, was totally destroyed. Thence the fire communicated to a cottage on the east, and thence to the Church of the Unity (Unitarian), both of which were entirely consumed.

The loss is in the neighborhood of $40,000. The insurance cannot be learned at present. The opposite residence block of J. B. Lankershim was considerably damaged by fire and water, as was also the next tenement to the Norton block, on South Hill street. A high wind was prevailing, which made it unusually difficult to confine the fire to the building in which it originated.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Creation of Additional Privy Councillors—The Behring Sea Question—No Neglect of Canadian Interests.

Homesteading Legislation—The Esquimalt Graving Dock to Come Before the House for Inquiry.

OTTAWA, June 1.—Senators Allen, Miller and Botsford have been created Privy Councillors. They are all ex-Speakers of the Senate, and their appointment as Privy Councillors may be taken as an adoption of the same principle as that recently instituted regarding the Speakers of the House of Commons.

In the Senate, to-day, Hon. Mr. Abbott said the Government had taken the greatest possible pains to lay before the Imperial Government fully their views on the subject of Behring's Sea, including their views with regard to the stoppage of the traffic of those sealers who have already left the Pacific Coast, and some of them the Atlantic Coast, for the fisheries. It would not be proper for one at this stage, without the papers, to discuss the details of the arrangements, which are not absolutely completed, although approximately near completion; but, I may say, there is no point on which any precaution to preserve the interests of Canadian fishermen has been neglected in our communications with the Imperial Government.

In the Senate, to-day, Hon. Mr. Abbott made an announcement with respect to the Premier's condition.

The House of Commons sat all evening discussing the motion of Mr. Davin that second homesteads be allowed those settlers in the Territories between 1883 and 1886. The Government opposed the motion on the ground that the new Land Act would deal with the matter. The debate was adjourned. The division on the Government's majority was fourteen. Mr. Davin called Hon. Mr. Dewdney a green grocery statesman. Mr. Dewdney got back at him by references to Mr. Davin's conduct at Ottawa since the Parliament opened.

Mr. Cameron (Huron) thinks he has struck oil in connection with the diversion of Seabird Island in British Columbia, from the purposes of an Indian Reservation to white men, and will move for the papers.

Mr. Tarte is calling for all papers in connection with the tenders for the construction of the Esquimalt dock.

Mr. Courtney, Deputy Minister of Finance, has gone to England in connection with the redemption loan of a million dollars.

Mr. Corbould has arrived from Vancouver this morning. He was warmly welcomed by his brother members.

Sir Antoine A. Dorion, Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench court, and formerly a leader of the Quebec Liberal party, died yesterday in Montreal. He was for many years one of the most prominent figures in Canadian public life. Sir A. A. Dorion was one of the best known and most deservedly respected of the Liberal leaders in Lower Canada. He belonged to the old Rouge school, of which he was during his career one of the if not the most striking character in its ranks. He was a leading figure in the politics of his native province, where he aptly illustrated the truth of the fact that a pronounced politician can do his duty by his country and at the same time have the esteem of all who know him. He was a leading lawyer at the Bar of Montreal, but frequently it materially prejudiced his own private interests to remain a Liberal. He was a prominent member of Montreal society. In 1851 he entered the Canada Assembly, where he sat from 1854 until the general election of 1861, when he was defeated, and was then elected for Hochelaga until 1872, for which he sat while a member of the Mackenzie Cabinet, only resigning when appointed Chief Justice of Quebec. He was in a number of Liberal Administrations, sat on the Commission to inquire into matters connected with the Pacific Railway charges. He was as a statesman able, honest and enterprising, and besides thoroughly reliable.

WESTMINSTER NEWS.

An Elopement from Ladner's Landing—McLean Challenges Peterson to Row on the Fraser.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 1.—J. Bath, a rancher of Ladner's, came to the city yesterday for a warrant for the arrest of a music teacher who eloped to Victoria with Mrs. Bath, by the steamer Yosemite, yesterday morning. He could not get the warrant and returned home satisfied to allow the elopers to lope as far as they like.

McLean, the oarsman, asks the COLONIST to publish the following challenge to Peterson, of San Francisco:—I hereby challenge Peterson to row a race, three miles, on the Fraser, in best and best lap-streak outrigger skiffs, not over 20 feet in length, for $1,000 or more, on said Fraser river, at Westminster. I will take odds and row on Shawnigan lake. (Signed) ALEX. MCLEAN.

J. P. Howe, of Portland, arrived over on the North Pacific last night.

Rev. D. H. Reid arrived from San Francisco yesterday by the Puebla.

J. M. O'Brien, editor of the Vancouver World, came over last night to attend the meeting of Convocation.

BOARD OF TRADE BUSINESS

The Desirability of The Daily Service to the Fraser River Officially Recognised Yesterday.

Rates of Exchange on the Mexican Dollar Discussed.—The Railway Question Advanced a Stage.

The railway committee of the Board of Trade, in whose hands was left the entire question of railway connection for Victoria with the trans-continental systems, held their final meeting yesterday, when communications were considered from the heads of the various through lines to whom circular letters had been addressed. A definite report was decided upon by the committee, and its contents will be made public at a special meeting of the full board, to be called for Thursday of this week.

On the conclusion of the committee meeting, the Council of the Board assembled, with the president in the chair, to dispose of the month's business. The by-laws as amended by the special committee, were read and adopted, and the committee was discharged from further attendance.

Mr. T. S. Futcher addressed the Board as below:

VICTORIA, May 28th, 1891.

F. Elworthy, Esq., Secretary of B. C. Board of Trade:

DEAR SIR:—I shall be obliged by your having the following put before the Board at its next meeting. The Minister of Customs for the Dominion, at present, fixes the amount of exchange for Mexican dollars irrespective of current rates. As a consequence, if too low a value is fixed, the revenue suffers, and when the fixed amount exceeds the current rate, the importer suffers. At the time of writing, the current exchange for Mexican dollars is 79, and until very recently the Customs exchange was 76. On making out papers for goods just received from Japan, by the steamship Tai Chow, and presenting them at the Custom House, I found that the rate had been put up to 84, by order from Ottawa. The papers had, in consequence, to be brought back and worked out at the new rate. Besides this increased trouble, there is the loss through the fictitious value of the Mexican dollar. If the Board should consider this a fit and proper subject to adopt and bring before the authorities at Ottawa, may I be allowed to suggest that current rates of exchange should be adopted by the Customs? Then neither revenue nor importers would suffer, and when bills of exchange were paid at the banks, the same rate woul follow for clearing at the Customs, thus doing away with the dual system of exchange and the inconvenience and delay occasioned by arbitrary changes from Otsawa.

Yours respectfully,
THOMAS S. FUTCHER.

The Secretary was ordered to direct the attention of the Minister of Customs to the numerous complaints, of which Mr. Futcher's was one, in regard to the exchange on the Mexican dollar, the Board suggesting the desirability, if possible, of inaugurating some system approaching that recommended in the communication, a copy of which will go to Ottawa with the Secretary's letter.

A communication from the London (England) Chamber of Commerce was read, asking the Board to name a delegate to represent Victoria at the second Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, to be held in 1892. This was acknowledged, with thanks, the communication to receive immediate consideration.

The Council decided that the Board will this year print its own annual report, it being arranged to solicit advertising matter to make the report self-supporting.

The passage of a resolution for transmission to the C.P.N. Co., expressive of the Board's satisfaction at the establishment of the daily service to Fraser river ports, brought the meeting to an end.

FINANCIAL MATTERS.

In their New York circular of May 23rd, Messrs. Henry Clews & Co. say that "business at the Stock Exchange has continued to reflect the effect of past and still continued large exports of gold, transactions having been restricted and the tendency of prices downward. As the causes of the extraordinary shipments of specie are better understood, confidence has improved and the impression is general that the drain is probably nearing its end. Later advices from Europe show that the loss of specie is not so entirely due to foreign financial and political exigencies as has been generally supposed on this side the Atlantic. The Rothschilds have not yet withdrawn from the Russian loan syndicate, as reported, but have merely recommended to the Czar's Government a postponement until affairs in Paris have settled into a more normal condition. After-effects of the events of last Fall continue to appear first in one capital and then in another, with the result of causing fresh timidity; and the great banks, under such circumstances, seek to fortify themselves by liberal cash reserves; but the last accounts from Europe show that there is no such grave apprehension of serious monetary or credit disturbances as has been supposed to exist at the great centres. It is no trifling warrant for confidence that we have been able to pay upon demand our entire floating indebtedness to Europe, without a symptom of distress anywhere, and with so little effect upon the value of securities. Still, confidence should not be permitted to encourage recklessness; and prudent men will not allow themselves to be drawn into speculative operations by the extraordinary temptations presented by exhilarating crop and railway prospects, until it is quite clear that the outflow of gold has reached its end. It cannot at present be said that we are certainly clear of the danger of a money market that might compel realizing on stocks. It is encouraging, however, that the banks continue to make large gains of currency in their transactions with both the Sub-Treasury and the interior."

SULLIVAN ON A SPREE.

He Starts on a Drunken Debauch and Whips Three Waiters.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—John L. Sullivan, actor and pugilist, owns the town tonight, and the police are keeping a sharp look-out for him.

He started on a drunken debauch last night after the show and wound up about 4 o'clock Sunday morning, when he was put to bed.

About noon he again started out and went to the Grand Hotel, where he guzzled champagne and licked three colored waiters.

He then went to the Bella Union, a dive, giving Sunday afternoon matinees. There he smashed his gold watch by throwing it against the wall and lost a diamond ring by throwing it into the audience.

He reached the Bush Street Theatre in time for the performance, but in a condition which defies description.

When he staggered on the stage he rolled up to the footlights, and in a thick voice said

"Sop the music, I want to have my say. The newspapers say I have been drunk. Well, if I have, I paid for my own liquor. I come from Boston, and can lick any man in the world, that nigger, Jackson, not excepted."

John L. repeated his challenge, and then, finding no one would accept, he went backward and staggered, and forgot many lines in his part through the remainder of the play.

RELIGIOUS DISCUSSION.

Dr. Driver and Samuel P. Putnam will Discuss "Christian Belief and Free Thought."

Several years ago in Chicago the advocates of secular thought issued a challenge to Christian ministers to discuss their faith with an advocate of free thought. The Chicago divines ignored this, and Dwight L. Moody wrote to Portland, Or., for Dr. Driver to come east. After some delay the latter went to Chicago, and met in three discussions Charles Watts, of Toronto, the editor of Secular Thought, published in that city. Mr. Watts was the associate of the late Chas. Bradlaugh and Geo. J. Holyoake, and was regarded as their first debater by the free thought people. The discussion drew large audiences, and on the close of the last the following resolutions were introduced by Mr. Stephens, secretary of the secular thought society, and adopted:

Whereas, the resident Christian ministers of Chicago have ignored an invitation to compare Christianity with secularism—an apparent failure on their part to give a reason for the faith that is in them—and,

Whereas, Dwight L. Moody has given such unwonted evidence in our welfare as to present the distinguished Dr. Driver to represent him in the discussion, therefore,

Resolved, That we, members of the secular union, hereby extend D. D. L. Moody, the Rev Dr. Driver and Merton Smith our sincere thanks for their participation in and the candor and fairness manifested by them throughout the discussion.

The Chicago Inter-Ocean, from which the above resolutions are extracted, says at the close of the discussion Dr. Driver and Mr. Watts shook hands in the most friendly way, with mutual expressions of respect and consideration.

Dr. Driver also had a half-hour's sharp encounter with Col. Ingersoll, at Eugene City, Or., after one of the latter's lectures. Some of the Colonel's adherents in this city have denied this, but a reporter yesterday read letters on the point, which prove that such was the case, and that the doctor proved to the Colonel that he was a worthy opponent.

The discussion in The Victoria to-night, between Dr. Driver and Mr. Putnam will undoubtedly prove of great interest, and a crowded house will be present.

LECTURES IN THE DEEPER MYSTICISMS OF ODD FELLOWSHIP.

Waverley Lodge, C.O.O.F., M.U., on Saturday last, held a degree lodge, in St. George's Hall, for the purpose of conferring the fundamental degrees, viz: White, Blue, Scarlet and Gold, on those of their brethren having attained to the same. The N. G., Bro. Stewart, V.G., Bro. W. F. Smith, together with visiting brethren of "Pride of the West," assisted the worthy Lecture Master, Bro. M. S. Wade, M.D., in conducting the ceremony of the still deeper mysticisms of the Order, which were admirably expounded by their able L. M., the assistants being also equal to their task, as the candidates for many years to come, will remember Saturday last. During the Gold sitting the brethren were encouraged to increase the membership of their respective lodges numerically, also to assist in further extending the worthy principles of the Order, and to make their lodges still more harmonious. A resolution was unanimously adopted to inaugurate juvenile lodges, on the same principles as they exist under the authority of the Mother Order in Great Britain, by their D.D.G.M., Wm. Ed. Ottaway.

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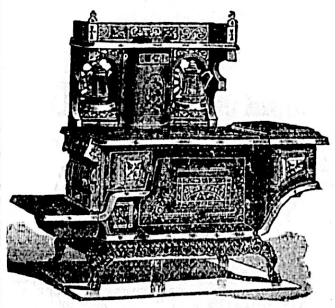

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Candidates must be punctual.
S. D. POPE
Superintendent of Education.
Education Office,
May 26, 1891. my26

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JOHNSON, WALKER & FLETT, having disposed of their business, are now winding up their affairs, and request all persons indebted to them to call and pay their bills forthwith, and those to whom they are indebted to present their accounts.
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Richard Hall and William John Goepel, trading under the firm name of "Hall, Goepel & Co," has this day been dissolved as from the 30th April last, by mutual consent. Mr. Goepel retires from the firm. Mr. Hall will carry on the business and will settle all liabilities, and to whom all outstanding accounts are to be paid. The name of the firm will remain unchanged.
Victoria, B.C., 4th May, 1891.
RICHARD HALL,
W. J. GOEPEL.
Witness: JOHN HALL. my5-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct, maintain and operate a Steam Railway and Passenger Ferry between the Port of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and the Port of Port Angeles, in the State of Washington, in the United States of America, and for all powers, rights and privileges incident and necessary to such works.
Dated at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, the 7th day of March, A.D. 1891.
BELYEA & GREGORY,
mr8-tf Solicitors for the Applicants.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."—Lot 18, in the City of Victoria.—A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above Lot will be issued to William Wilson on the 24th day of July, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 17th April, 1891. ap18-3m

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the following described lands, situate in Sayward District:
No. 1—Commencing at the north-east corner of the North Pacific Lumber Company's claim at Salmon River, thence North 80 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence South 80 chains, thence East 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
No 2.—Commencing at a point 20 chains East of the north-east corner of the Victoria Lumber Company's claim near Bear Mountain, thence North 80 chains, thence East 80 chains, thence South 80 chains, thence West 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
No. 3.—Commencing at a post on the Eastern boundary of the Victoria Lumber Company's claim at Salmon River and about 60 chains North of the head of Narrow Lake, thence East 40 chains, thence South 40 chains, thence East 40 chains, thence North 160 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence South 120 chains to the place of commencement, containing 1,120 acres more or less.
No. 4.—Commencing at a point about 25 chains East of the intersection of the Southern boundary line of the Victoria Lumber Company's claim and the Salmon River, thence South 80 chains to the Royal City Planing Mills Company's claim, thence West 120 chains, thence North 140 chains to the Victoria Lumber Company's claim, thence East 20 chains, thence South 20 chains, thence East 40 chains, thence South 40 chains, thence East 60 chains to the place of commencement, containing 1,240 acres more or less.
JOHN DAVIDSON.
J. A. STRATHEY.
Victoria, B. C., 23rd April, 1891. ap24

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the undermentioned tracts of land, situate in Alberni District:
Tract No. 1.—Commencing at a post on the south side of Kleecoat Lake, about three miles from the head of the East Arm, thence West 140 chains, thence South 40 chains, thence East 260 chains, thence North 40 chains more or less to Kleecoat Lake, thence following the shore line in a westerly direction about 120 chains to the place of commencement, containing 1,040 acres more or less.
Trac No 2.—Commencing at a post opposite Nahmint Bay, Alberni Canal, thence East 80 chains, thence North 40 chains, thence West 120 chains to the sea shore, thence following the sea shore to the place of commencement.
Tract No. 3.—Commencing at a post on the East side of Alberni Canal and about five miles from Nahmint Bay, thence East 160 chains, thence North 40 chains, thence West to Alberni Canal, thence South to the place of commencement.
Tract No. 4.—Commencing at a post on a bay about three miles North of Nahmint Bay, thence West 80 chains, thence North 80 chains, thence East to Alberni Canal, thence following the shore line South to the place of commencement.
JOHN WHITE.
T. J. HAMMILL.
Victoria, 23rd April, 1891. ap24

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Subdivisions 6, 7, 16 and 17, and part of Subdivisions 8 and 18, of Sections XV and XVI, Beckley Farm, Victoria City.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of George Powell, of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned hereditaments dated the 25th day of September, 1884, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is thereby hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
19th May, 1891. m20-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Sub division 1 of Lot 5 of Suburban Lot LI., Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above will be issued to Thomas Tugwell on the 8th day of August, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
5th May, 1891. my6-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 1725, 1726 and part of Lot 182 E, Victoria City; and the East half of Suburban Lot 52, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to hereditaments will be issued to Carlo Bossi on the 7th day of May, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or any part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
28th February, 1891. mr1-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 41 and 42, Block E, Victoria West, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above Lots will be issued to Richard H. McKay, on the 6th day of June, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th December, 1890. mr6-3m

NOTICE

is hereby given that Sing Kee has disposed of his Vegetable Garden on Finlayson Road to Sam Kee, who will carry on the business in future. m19

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A GORDON LETTER.

To the Editor: In the Nanaimo Free Press, of the 30th ult., we are treated to the whole correspondence between our worthy M.P., D. W. Gordon, Esq., and the Department of Militia and Defense in Ottawa, in regard to the sending the military to Wellington in August last.

Mr. Gordon's letter of August 25, addressed to "My dear Caron," is decidedly a gem in its way, in fact, a diamond of the first water. There is a great deal of pretended zeal for the honor and interests of the Dominion and Provincial Governments, but a vast deal more venom and malice directed against the Wellington Coal Co. D. W. Gordon evidently wrote that letter without any definite knowledge of what he undertook to write about. The last sentence of the second paragraph is a very nice specimen of word spinning with neither head nor tail to it. It begins with a subject without a predicate and ends with a predicate without a subject, and between the two there is some twaddle about "overawing some miners who had seen fit in the exercise of their unquestionable right to decline to work for a company except on terms that they considered exposed them to danger and discrimination." That, to say the least of it, is a very queer statement. Does Mr. Gordon mean to say that these men declined to work for Dunsmuir & Sons, except on terms that exposed them to danger and discrimination (whatever that may mean)? Why, Mr. Gordon would make out his protogees to be lunatics. I think, however, that Mr. Gordon would fain have his "dear Caron" believe that the company were imposing some dreadful terms upon their men, whereas the facts are all the other way. It was the men who were endeavoring to impose terms upon the company, terms the company declined to accept. The clear course, therefore, for the men was to seek for employment elsewhere, if they could get it, or to go on with their work as before. But the public must understand that when all this row got up there were no new terms imposed by the company; there was no change of conditions. Any change in the terms, if there was any, was an attempted change originated, not in Wellington, but outside of it, and in the interests of another and rival concern.

In a letter from Col. Holmes, of Sept. 15, 1890, to Adj.-Gen. of Militia, he says that during his stay of two weeks in Wellington he "saw nothing to warrant intervention on the part of the troops." From this one would naturally infer that the calling out of the troops was unnecessary and consequently a mistake. This is scarcely in accordance with Col. Holmes' expression of opinion when he came up here. I take it that the object of the troops being sent here was to prevent the peace from being broken, and to protect much valuable property from the destruction, wreck and ruin with which it was threatened.

As to the expenses of the expedition, I have no doubt Mr. Gordon was dreadfully disappointed when he was informed that the whole was met by the company, and I have no doubt they did so in their usually handsome and liberal way. I am sorry, however, for Mr. Gordon that he should have had this handle of his grievance jug so rudely shattered.

The cool manner in which he assumes, as a matter of course, that the Provincial Government press will be on his side, and of his way of thinking, is particularly amusing. I suppose he was thinking of the Nanaimo Free Press as the representative of the *representative* of Vancouver District in the Dominion House of Commons.

WELLINGTONIAN.

Wellington, June 1, 1891.

CHRISTIAN DEPORTMENT.

To the Editor:—Listening to an exposition on Christian deportment, to-day, as on many former occasions it has struck me as something strange that the prevailing sin, in the visible church, is so persistently ignored, while we are being constantly admonished against the sins that no man or woman, who has any regard for even common decency, would be found indulging in, let alone church members in evangelical denominations—drunkenness, swearing, dishonesty and impurity, &c. O, no, I think we can truthfully say that they are few who indulge in these sins. And yet there is a crime, before which all these sink into insignificance, and yet they are legion who indulge in it without blush or rebuke. I refer to the clandestine attacks upon even the most spotless and blameless of reputations. Now, to be brief, I will just ask those who vilify their neighbors and struggle to work their ruin, without even allowing them to hear a statement of their offence, or say a word in their defence, by what code of gospel laws do you take upon yourselves to settle his affairs, in his absence and without his consent. I find a beautiful law in Matthew, 18th chapter, which I acknowledge as the only law, and how dare we, as church officers, members or respectable adherents, lay aside this law, and submit our ears to be the dumping place of filth, only to add our influence to aid in the ruin of the innocent? I say ruin, as far as they may regard and value the love and esteem of their fellow-beings. We have nothing to plead on behalf of such baseness, except the law of Nature that rules the proud hypocrite. "God is love," and His law is do as you would be done by, and, if a matter be listened to at all, it can only be on this law, laid down in God's work. First, a private hearing, etc., etc., and the motives, words and actions that cannot stand this test are better outside the pale of the Church. When we are actuated by high and noble motives, we always seek that which leads to highest results. Now, let God's true children say whether the greatest and highest good accrues from lovingly and tenderly seeking to reclaim by giving the least possible pain, or by (as we are sometimes encouraged to do, but for which we have no example in the Word,) pointing the finger of scorn at our weak brother. Which of these two lines of conduct indicate the loftiest humility and nearest approach to God. Just one word to any who may be suffering under the lash of the traducer. Thank God if you are not a traducer yourself, for remember that ever since the world began all who have been appointed by God to any great usefulness have, as it were, left their footprints in blood by the way, but they reviled not again. Also remember that character and reputation are two distinct things, so much so that it frequently happens to God's dear ones, that the ruin of the one is the purifying and burnishing of the other. Oh! may we all seek so to understand truth, that it may not be said to us at the last: "These ought ye to have done, and not to have left the other undone." Our neighbor can at any moment put a stain on our reputation, and we be as innocent as is possible for humanity to be, but our character is what we are as known to God and ourselves, and no man, woman or devil can make or mar our character; but, by God's grace it can be made pure and perfect in holiness, and only by our own will and free consent can it be made a reproach to us.

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NOTES FROM KOOTENAY.

(From the Revelstoke Star.)

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Trains are now being run over the Columbia & Kootenay railway from Robson to Nelson, connecting with the boats.

The rails of the Shuswap & Okanagon railway are now laid past Enderby, and it will not be long now until Vernon the terminus is reached.

The Columbia river is higher at present than it has been for years, and the high water season is considerably earlier than usual. The very warm weather of the past two weeks is responsible for the change.

George Laforme came down from the Big Bend with his pack train, yesterday. He reports that la grippe got a hold of all the men up there, and they had a hospital time generally. He was very ill himself, but is now almost himself again. He says the flats along the river are all flooded, and if the water does not subside somewhat he will not be able to go up again for a time.

The little steamer Marion suddenly disappeared on Wednesday night, and whether she is at the bottom of the river or floating down to Sproat is a matter of conjecture. She was tied up below the Lytton to a large stump. The river undermined this stump, and while a watchman ran for a rope to get another line on the boat, she broke away from her moorings and disappeared in the darkness or water. She may have been struck by one of the many trees floating down stream, and immediately sunk.

John Stauber came up from the Lardeau on Monday, bringing a quantity of furs he result of a couple months trapping and hunting. Among his pack was one silver-tip bear pelt that measured over nine feet across in any direction. The bear was not very fat, but weighed fully 400 lbs. The furs were sent to Kamloops, and the owner expects to realize at least $150 on them. Mr. Stauber says he is satisfied the Lardeau will come to the front, now that a trail is being cut through it, and expects to see a hundred prospectors in there this fall. He has located seven ledges, and Mr. Haskins says has as many more, assays from the samples of which give as good returns as any in the country, while the placer diggings of the Lardeau are new, and what work has been done on them has given excellent results, Mr. Stauber taking out last fall by the most primitive methods 16 ounces in six weeks. There are some good lands through the pass and several small farms have been taken up at Trout and Summit Lakes.

NOTICES.

NOTICE—All persons who have made application to purchase Crown land, under the provisions of Section 29, of the "Land Act," to whom an extension of time for surveying has not been granted, or who have failed to complete the survey of, and to make payment in full for, the land applied for, are hereby notified that their applications will be cancelled, unless good and sufficient cause to the contrary is shown within 60 days from the date of this notice.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., May 7th, 1891. my8-td

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.
EDUCATION BRANCH OF
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT,
Victoria, May 6th, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows commencing on Friday, July 2nd, at 9:30 a.m.:—

In Victoria—High School Building.
In Kamloops—Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above-named places he wil attend.

Every notice of intention to be examined *must* be accompanied with a testimonial certifying to the moral character of the candidate.

S. D. POPE,
8my-1m. *Superintendent of Education.*

RESERVE, RENFREW DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all the surveyed Crown lands situated in the valleys of the San Juan and Gordon Rive have been reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., May 4th, 1891. my

NOTICE RESPECTING THE SALE OF CROWN LANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order in Council, which was approved by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor on 30th July 1890, providing that the alienation of Crown lands by private sale be discontinued, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated 31st July, 1890, has been rescinded, and that thirty (30) days after the date of this notice vacant unreserved Crown lands will be open to sale under the provisions of the "Land Act."

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Work
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 30th April, 1891. m3-1m

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WELL-NAMED.

The leading article in the Vancouver World of Saturday is very appropriately headed "Senseless and Unjustified." Its subject matter is senseless detraction of Victoria and unjustifiable misrepresentation of her commercial position. But it may be asked, what could be expected of a journal that showed its animus towards Victoria by attempting to rub it off the face of the globe? Very little, we must admit; but it might be thought that a sense of decency and regard for its own reputation would keep it somewhere within or near the limits of truth when it made representations that could in a very short time, and with but little labor, be either verified or contradicted by reference to authoritative official documents.

The World makes the claim which the press of Victoria has been lately preferring for justice to this city in the appropriations for the maintenance of the public service, an excuse for a malicious and untruthful attack upon Victoria. It asserts that the public buildings of this city are quite sufficient for its needs, and, not content with uttering this nonsense, it contends that the argument drawn from the importance of Victoria as a revenue-producing port is not valid, and it passes a sweeping censure on all its inhabitants. It declares that "the Victorians are nothing unless unreasonable." This of itself is about as senseless a remark as any idiot could make. But our contemporary goes further and alleges that Victoria is in a state of decay. After commenting on the commercial supremacy of the Capital of the Province, it says:

"But the old state of things is passing away, and a new era has dawned upon the Province, indicating in the most unmistakable manner that Victoria is to be shorn of its glory in the respects we have referred to. Cities, like individuals, sooner or later reach the zenith of their power and influence, and the fact that the Customs receipts of Victoria, as well as the shipping, have been decreasing in proportion as those of Vancouver and New Westminster increase, is the crowning proof that no longer can Victoria lay claim to being impregnable and set at defiance all other parts of the Province."

What the World states here as a "fact" and a "crowning proof" can be easily shown to be no fact at all, and proves nothing except that the World is a shameless falsifier. The Customs receipts of Victoria have not been decreasing in proportion as those of Vancouver and New Westminster increase. On the contrary, Victoria's Customs receipts for the last few years show a healthy and most encouraging increase. The state of its trade and its extraordinary increase of population prove that Victoria's glory has not departed, that its commercial importance has not yet reached its zenith. If the following figures, which we take from the Dominion Trade and Navigation Returns, appear unduly to accentuate Victoria's trade supremacy it must be remembered that the fault is not ours. The World has, in a sense, compelled us to prove that Victoria's Customs receipts have not decreased in proportion as the Mainland cities have increased. This is what the World, in the plainest terms asserts, and what we propose to show is absolutely untrue. The following are the Customs receipts of the different ports for the last five years:

	Nanaimo.	New Westmin'r.	Vancouver.	Victoria
1886	$41,210	$56,839		$782,095
1887	32,586	66,034		784,790
1888	41,581	20,745	56,518	748,613
1889	64,446	31,299	93,805	789,165
1890	48,885	60,231	153,726	815,663

Here it is seen that Victoria's Customs receipts have not decreased in proportion as those of Vancouver and New Westminster have increased, but that there has been a gratifying increase all round. We may say here, that we are very far from envying the neighboring cities of the Mainland their prosperity, and we do not wish to say one word to detract from the significance of the figures we have quoted. Those figures show that while Vancouver and New Westminster have increased their trade, that of Victoria has increased—not decreased, as the World falsely states. What the statistics prove is, that there is room enough in the Province for all its sea port cities, and that not one of them prospers at the expense of any other. And we are happy to say that the trade statistics of the current year show that Victoria is progressing at an increased ratio. Here are the Customs receipts for this port for the eleven months of the current fiscal year 1890-91:—

July	$66,385 36
August	70,385 67
September	81,690 88
October	82,04[illegible] 07
November	74,364 96
December	64,462 79
January	57,456 42
February	62,996 95
March	89,774 94
April	98,445 22
May	97,962 74
	$845,975 00

Here we see that the amount collected from customs this year already considerably exceeds the receipts of last year. This does not look as if Victoria had reached its zenith of commercial importance.

The World's article contains a table of three months' trade of the province, and draws from its ridiculously insufficient data the conclusion that "To Nanaimo must be awarded the first position as an export point. This is due to the coal industry, which forms a very heavy item in value and gross tonnage," and that after making certain deductions, Vancouver's exports will largely exceed those of Victoria. This is a misrepresentation of the grossest and most impudent kind. Whether it is the result of crass stupidity or shameless dishonesty is hardly worth enquiring. No one who desired to give the public an honest or even an intelligent idea of the relative trade of the cities of the province would take a part of the year when there was within his reach the means of showing how they stood relatively during a series of years. Victoria courts enquiry into this as well as into other subjects relating to her trade and commerce. Here are the figures of the exports of the ports of the province for five years:—

	Nanaimo.	N. Wtmr.	Vancr.	Victoria.
1886	$ 975,155	191,352	———	1,787,109.
1887	1,151,493	232,593	———	2,0[illegible]4,384
1888	1,24[illegible],393	11,206	553,539	2,122,939.
1889	1,127,931	36,394	518,562	1,927,931.
1890	1,934,544	201,149	483,885	3,143,259.

The above figures do not show that to Nanaimo must be awarded the first position as an export point. Nor do they prove that Vancouver has the remotest chance of ever exceeding Victoria in its exports. The trade returns show that Vancouver exports have, notwithstanding the growth of the city, actually diminished. In 1888 they were valued at $553,539, whereas in 1890 they are set down at $483,885. If the World possessed common prudence or common sense it would have said very little, indeed, about Vancouver's export trade. It must not be forgotten that the timber trade of the port, and consequently the shipping engaged in that trade, have not materially increased during the last twenty years, or so. The timber trade of the harbor was flourishing long before Vancouver had an existence, and will continue as long as there is timber to send away. We would not have alluded to the decline of Vancouver's exports were we not forced to do so by the World's senseless boast. It is, no doubt, temporary, and we hope, next year, to be able to chronicle a large increase in the export trade of Vancouver.

The truth is, and the World well knows it, Victoria takes the lead in commerce on this side of the Dominion. It was thought that when the railroad was completed the trade of Victoria would fall off, and others believed that as Vancouver's trade increased Victoria's would correspondingly decrease. Neither of these forebodings has been realized. The work on the railroads has long since ceased, but so well established was the trade of Victoria that the cessation of railroad construction had very little effect on its prosperity. Vancouver has grown and prospered, yet it has not taken away Victoria's trade. That trade has gone on increasing, and its volume is, this year, greater than ever it was before. The poor, small-minded, envious creatures who sneered at the "sad, sad city by the sea," and who expected to see the grass grow in its streets have been disappointed, and are now disgruntled. They were idiotic enough to believe that Victoria's decay meant their prosperity, and they have not brains enough to understand how it is possible that one city of the province can thrive without doing an injury to some other city. When these pin-headed, small-minded growlers visit Victoria and see signs of progress and prosperity on every hand, they cannot believe the evidence of their own senses, but after they get home they try to get their neighbors and the rest of the world to believe that Victoria can not be going ahead, that it must be getting behind, and when they cannot find facts to uphold their theories and predictions they set to work to manufacture them. And a fearfully bad job they make of it, as witness the Vancouver World's senseless and unjustifiable article. Such articles do not contribute to the prosperity of Vancouver. They are much more calculated to do it injury. Those who have the welfare of Vancouver really at heart should pray to be saved from such friends as the Vancouver World.

STRANGE DOCTRINE.

Is not the Times a little too apt to jump at conclusions? If it had reflected a little it would not, we think, have promulgated the following very peculiar doctrine with regard to the jurisdiction of the British Government over the sea-going subjects of Queen Victoria. In its leader of Saturday it said:

"In no man's land, and in matters outside the domain of international law, man is law unto himself. What a man does outside of the jurisdiction of his own country, and, as in the case in question, outside the jurisdiction of the world, is none of his country's business. An Englishman in no man's land is still an Englishman, and, if he so elect, is still amenable to English law. If, however, he elects to set up in business for himself, it is difficult to see where England gets the power to compel him to subscribe to an act of Parliament. On the high seas, men are amenable only to international law."

We have heard somewhere that the deck of a ship flying the British flag is regarded as British soil, no matter in what part of the world she may be. The doctrine laid down by the Times is a comfortable one for the cruel sea captain who, when he gets upon the high seas, would like very much to be a law unto himself. But if he should, acting upon that principle, starve or ill-treat or maim or murder one or more of the men under his command, it would be very convenient to tell those who might call him to account for his acts that what he did on the high seas was no one's business. He would, we think, soon find to his cost, as many tyrannical shipmasters have before now, that the Government of his country considered it its business how he treated the men under his command. In the same way, if sailors out in what the Times calls no man's land got tired of obeying orders, and came to consider that they, being a law unto themselves, had as good a right to the ship and all that it contained as the owners, and some dark night threw the captain overboard and killed such of the officers as would not join them, and sailed away to some place where, in their opinion, they might enjoy their plunder in security, they would find that they were laboring under a strong delusion. Would finding these men out and bringing them to justice be no one's business, because they committed murder and robbery on the high seas? Our contemporary, if it enquired a little, would learn that the Government of Great Britain takes cognizance of crimes committed on the high seas, and that the British subject cannot sail out of the authority and the protection of his government as long as the Union Jack flies over his head, or can be considered as flying over his head. Crimes that are committed at sea on a British ship are inquired into and punished under British laws. There is no no man's land for a man who sails in a British ship. Under the British flag no man is a law unto himself. He must obey the laws of his country, and the captain of the ship is to a certain extent invested with power to enforce those laws. Sailors, whether they are of high or low degree, are not chartered libertines when they are three or three hundred miles from land. They are amenable to the laws of their country, not to that shadowy, unsubstantial thing, that goes by the name of international law. The Times is right when it presumes that the Imperial Parliament has power to enact a law regarding the hunting of seals, or it would not take upon itself to pass Mr. Goschen's law. But as with individuals, so with Parliament. All things may be lawful, but all things are not expedient. Parliament has the authority to pass Goschen's law, but it would be wrong for Parliament to enact it if in so doing it caused injustice to be done to British subjects who have not only committed no crime but who have been, and are, useful, law abiding subjects of the Queen. We do not believe that any Order in Council will be issued to put the law in force until the British Government is satisfied it will not inflict undeserved injury on any British subject.

A NEW ENTERPRISE.

One of the best proofs of the progress of Victoria is the establishment of a daily line of steamers between it and New Westminster. Enterprising and far-seeing business men in both cities saw that the time had arrived when better communication between the two cities was needed, and Captain John Irving, manager of the C.P.N. Company, with the energy and pluck which he always, when occasion requires, exhibits, declared his readiness to carry out their views. The new line brings New Westminster much closer to Victoria, and it may almost be said to be a branch of the Great Northern railway making Victoria, in a sense, its ocean terminus. We trust that Captain Irving and his company's enterprise will meet the reward it so well deserves. They have, no doubt, ventured a good deal to meet the requirements of the business of Victoria and Westminster, and it is only right that the business men of the city will do what they can to make the new line a paying one. It is by reaching out like this, and by standing well together, that they will not only hold their own, but do as they have been doing of late, gain ground.

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Nanaimo	$ 1,934,544 00
New Westminster	201,749 00
Vancouver	483,885 00
Victoria	3,143,289 00

DUTY PAID—1890.

Nanaimo	$ 48,895 00
New Westminster	60,231 78
Vancouver	153,726 75
Victoria	815,663 67

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Sports.

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Artillery Meeting.

The officers of the artillery ask all members, who possibly can, to be present at the drill shed, next Wednesday evening, in plain clothes.

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The celebrated English K Boots, the best waterproof boot for surveyors, a large consignment just received at H. Mansell's, 95 Government street. my20-2w

Repudiated.

A circular having been issued by an establishment, with headquarters at Minneapolis, styling itself the Dunn Commercial and Collecting agency, Messrs. Dun, Wiman & Co. and R. G. Dun & Co. are repudiating all connection with it.

The New Organ.

The new organ, at St. John's church, being now completed, was formally opened on Sunday, the 31st; Mr. Harriss, who was to have presided at the organ in the evening being unavoidably absent, Mr. Hookaway ably presided at the instrument, and played selections from the works of Handel, Haydn, Baptiste and Seotson Clark. The congregation at both services were very large.

The Midsummer Exams.

The midsummer examinations in the Victoria schools commenced yesterday, the pupils of the High school writing for promotion upon geography, anatomy, dictation, arithmetic and English history. To-day the same classes will be examined in botany, rhetoric, English literature, Grecian and Roman history. Candidates for admission to the High school will also appear for examination this morning.

It Pays.

Intending passengers to Europe are recommended to save expense, inconvenience and delay by securing their staterooms before leaving (telegraphed for free of charge) through Messrs. Hall, Goepel & Co., agents for all first-class Atlantic liners. Parties giving orders for passages for friends or relations to Victoria may depend on every care and attention being secured to insure a comfortable journey.

Celebration Funds.

Funds are needed by the celebration committee, and Treasurer Charles Kent said yesterday that he hoped the citizens would contribute. "Many citizens," he said, "were not called upon by the collectors, and if they will only send in their mite to the committee it will assist us in meeting obligations that are yet unpaid. One dollar or two dollars will hurt no one, but if contributed by the public the amount will soon reach the sum necessary for the committee to liquidate its indebtedness."

North Bound Passengers.

The following passengers left for the North, on the steamer Danube, last evening: C. A. Lumberg, J. McGee, E. Emerson, F. Meaney, Rev. A. N. Miller and wife, W. M. Ryan, T. McMeech, F. R. Greer, J. L. Anderson, J. Ferguson, John Rooney, S. Lumberg, A. Lumberg, J. Lumberg, S. Lumberg, P. Johnston, B. Anderson, J. Resher, F. Cullins. H. Hansen, Rev. Hopkins and wife, J. Carpenter, J. King, E. S. Wilkinson, Rev. E. Nichols, Miss Holmes, H. Wilkinson, and S. H. Spencer.

Marriage Failures.

Getting Married and Keeping Married is number eighteen of the Human Nature Library, published by Fowler & Wells. There are more than a dozen illustrations, and the suggestions are practical, and if followed out are calculated, it is said, to reduce the number of marriage failures. The way to keep love fresh and bright is given in a way that must many times prove helpful in promoting happiness that too many know does not always last as it should, in this closest of all relations through life. It is written in a sprightly and attractive manner, justly placing stress largely on the importance of studying character.

A Social Session.

After a day of summery splendor, a clear, starlight night aided in attracting many light-hearted people bent on recreation and the enjoyment of musical pleasure, towards the California Theatre, to witness "A Social Session." The orchestra chairs were filled and the gallery packed. A splendid overture by the celebrated Star orchestra, received the appreciation it so richly merited, and the curtain promptly rose and disclosed the first scene of a three act play, which is just a happy, gay, ludricrous combination of pleasant nonsense, well-filled in with good singing and dancing, all of which excites fun and merriment without the slightest strain on the emotions. Shouts of laughter and continued applause testified that the audience received all the amusement they expected. a grand burlesque on the opera of Il Trovatore closed this captivating play.—San Fransisco (Cal) Chronicle, Jan. 29, 1889.

Masonic Church Parade.

On Sunday afternoon upwards of 100 members of the Masonic fraternity assembled in the Temple, Douglas street, from which they marched to Christ church cathedral, where a large congregation had assembled. The lessons were read by Rev. A. Beanlands, after which an admirable and appropriate sermon was preached by Worshipful Brother, the Rev. M. C. Brown, from the text "Behold how good and pleasant a thing it is for brethren to dwell together in unity." Although none of the secrets of the craft were in any way imparted, the preacher in his appropriate discussion dwelt in a very interesting manner upon the mission, the methods and the beneficial influences of free masonry, whose unity and whose desire to promote each others best interests were its crowning glories. To do good and to be good were shown to be its never failing teachings and injunctions, and the beneficent results of the assistance accorded to Masons, their wives and their children were effectively portrayed. Its moral influences were also fully explained, and it is certain that all who went to the church at the conclusion of the ceremonies returned home with a higher appreciation of the institution than ever they had. The members appeared in their aprons, and the officers of the blue as well as grand lodges were in full regalia.

Life of Sir John A. Macdonald.

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Lots on the Work Estate.

The cheapest and best situated lots in the Work Estate are to be had at the office of T. G. Rayner, adjoining Garesche, Green & Co's Bank, Trounce Ave. Call and examine lists and prices.

Police Court.

Messrs. W. Dalby and R. McMicking, Justices of the Peace, presided in the police court, yesterday morning. Annie, an Indian woman, and Dan. Apples were the only representatives in the drunk line, both of whom were sentenced to one month in jail.

On the 26th of This Month,

Russell, McDonald & Co.'s Fourteenth regular half-yearly drawing takes place. The usual sum of fifteen hundred dollars, divided into twenty prizes, will be distributed to the lucky winners. Tickets can be obtained until the hour of drawing. 6t

Chinese Wedding.

Wau Ying, a Chinese merchant, of Seattle, a member of the firm of Kong Chang & Co., of that city, obtained, yesterday, from Sheriff McMillan, a license to be enabled to marry Ah Lun, a Chinese girl, who arrived from Seattle some ten years back and has since been living in the house of Sing Kee.

Music of Their Own.

The members of the Victoria Athletic Club have purchased a full set of band instruments and are practising in their rooms—fortunately on the third floor—so as to be able to produce all the popular airs of the day at their annual picnic, the date for which will be finally fixed next Monday.

On Time.

For summer—a splendid assortment of latest styles in Ladies' Fine Kid Boots, Shoes and Slippers. Colored Oxfords and Slippers in great variety. These goods are specially worthy the ladies' attention. Our motto, a dollar's worth for a dollar. H. Mansell, 95 Government street. Best brands of Kid polishes and colored dressings. my20-2w

Public Library Report.

The report of the librarian, Dr. McGregor, for the month of May, shows that the total number of books lent was 2,681, of which 1,291 were taken out by ladies 1,390 by gentlemen. The highest number let out in any day was 176, the average having been 112. The number of cards issued was to ladies 16, to gentlemen 30; total, 46.

Dominion Day Picnic.

Ever since Confederation, the Pandora avenue Methodists have held their annual Sunday school picnic on Dominion Day. Before the E. & N. Railway was built, they went by boat to Pedder Bay. Since the railway has been completed, the majority of the teachers and officers have been in favor of an excursion up the line. This year they go to what is called Porter's Field, a beautiful part of Langford Plains, and right alongside the railway track. An abundance of spring water can be had from Goldstream, and everything for the comfort of the public will be provided.

At St. John's Church.

Mr. C. A. E. Harriss, of Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, will give a recital on the new organ of St. John's church, this evening, his programme including selections from the works of Handel, Haydn, Sullivan, Bennet and Guilmant. As a performer upon the "king of instruments," as well as a composer of organ music, Mr. Harriss is a prominent figure in the musical world; and his recitals are always thoroughly first-class. This evening and to-morrow, Mr. Harriss will be assisted in his concerts by Master Frederick Williams, the celebrated boy soprano of Westminster Abbey, London, whose voice is a favorite wherever it has been heard. The many who will, no doubt, attend the concerts at St. John's, are requested not to manifest approval by stamping of feet or clapping of hands.

Government Land Sale.

Mr. A. M. Beattie, the well known auctioneer, of 408 Hastings street, Vancouver, has been instructed by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to offer for sale by public auction, on July 15th, the lands (comprising about 1,200 acres) which were included in the lease of the Moodyville Saw Mill Company, on the north shore of Burrard Inlet. From the fact of their close proximity to the city, and of the great advance which has recently taken place in the value of land situated opposite to Vancouver, there is no doubt that the price obtained for the land in question will be high. Full particulars of the sale will be announced in a few days. Mr. Beattie's conduct of sales for various large corporations ensures his making a complete success of the one referred to.

Herrmann and Mystery.

Herrmann delighted and entertained an audience that tested the capacity of the Victoria Theatre last evening. His entertainment is entirely new, and his tricks were as deceptive as ever. No living magician can compare with Herrmann. While his audience is closely watching him, he does all manner of incredible things and produces one surprise after another in rapid succession. His handkerchief trick is a very ancient one, but it is ludicrous in the extreme, and is done by Herrmann in an inimitable manner that other sleight-of-hand performers have failed to grasp.

The entertainment was divided into four parts. It opened with legerdemain.

"Black Art," as it is termed by Herrmann, was given by Madame Herrmann, assisted by Abdul Khan. It was a reproduction of incantations and talismanic sorcery as practised or supposed to have been, by the ancients. The most complex and seemingly supernatural feats were performed during this act, and the supernatural seemed to prevail. Object after object was materialized from seeming space and performed their mistress' bidding, the fair sorceress, herself, disappearing in space at the conclusion of the performance.

The decapitation act was a wonderful piece of deception and the cleverest act of its kind ever seen here.

Herrmann's master-piece was Strobeika. An assistant was locked to a board by a committee of gentlemen from the audience. Yale locks were used, and the keys were retained by the committee. In much less time than it took to strap the man to the board, the curtain of the cabinet was drawn and in place on the board was a young lady, who had taken the man's place. The latter appeared in front of the house, entering the theatre from the street, much to the mystification of the large audience.

The great necromancer closed his entertainment with a series of mystic novelties, and his assertion to the audience, that "the closer you watch, the less you will see," was strictly true.

To Improve the Service.

Rumor has it that the steamer Emma will not be returned to the Nanaimo-Victoria route, from which she has just been withdrawn, the intention of her owners, Messrs. Glaholm & Fisher, being to place two first-class steamers in the service, making daily trips.

A Good Example.

Mr. H. C. Beeton has set a good example to all who are in a position to contribute some work of interest to the Board of Trade library. In addition to the Statistical Atlas, he has recently presented complete files of the Board of Trade journal and Chamber of Commerce journal.

Collections for May.

The following are the collections for May for the Inland Revenue Division No. 37, Victoria, B.C.:

Spirits	$4,472 14
Malt	510 88
Tobacco	1,166 40
Liquors	1,013 55
License	10 00
Inspection of petrolum	46 40
Total	$7,219 37

Highly Popular.

As showing how popular the Free Public Library is becoming, it is worthy of note that no less than 108 books were taken out on Saturday night alone. The librarian, Dr. McGregor, recently purchased from the trustees a number of useful books of reference, etc., belonging to the estate of the late Mr. Fell.

Meeting of Architects.

The architects of Victoria and other cities have for long been alive to the necessities of closer association, and in consequence will hold a meeting on Wednesday evening, in the Y.M.C.A. rooms, for the purpose of associating to promote the interests of the profession in British Columbia.

Picnic Necessaries.

A plentiful supply of good things is essential to the success of a picnic. R. H. Jameson, 33 Fort street, has just the right materials for filling the lunch basket. Potted ham, tongue, chicken, curried fowl, shrimp, bloater and anchovy paste, Underwood's deviled meats, anchovy's, Keeler's marmalade, Rose's lime juice cordial, caviar, Capt. White's pickles, Peek Freen's biscuits, C. & B.'s pure olive oil, etc., etc.

The City of Kingston.

Owing to the slight accident to the City Kingston, which has already been reported, she was unable to take her regular trip on Sunday night, but it was expected that the City of Seattle would have taken her place last night. Owing, however, to the rush of business on the sound it was found impossible to dispatch a vessel on Monday in place of the Kingston. However it is thought the City of Seattle will go on the regular line to-night.

A Growing Business.

Messrs. T. Haughton & Co., of the Manchester House, on Yates street, have been compelled by the steady growth of business, to enlarge their premises three times during the past few years. Now a fourth enlargement has been rendered necessary. Twenty-five feet of land, in the rear of the store, has been secured and it will be built upon at once. Messrs. Houghton & Co. believe in steady, persistent advertising—they have found it pays.

More Evidence.

More circumstantial evidence in the Meldram robbery case comes to light every day. An elderly man who has taken the cabin formerly occupied by Bermudiz, found $15 in one of his old boots. This money has been positively identified by Mr. Meldram as his property. Thomas, who is supposed to have been Bermudiz's companion on the day of the robbery, was seen in North Saanich a few days ago, but had disappeared before Sergt. Walker could make his acquaintance.

St. Andrew's Bazaar.

The time for the opening of St. Andrew's bazaar, which is being got up by the young ladies connected with the new Roman Catholic Cathedral, is rapidly approaching, and, to-morrow week, will open as fine a display of useful and fancy goods as has ever been exposed for sale in the city of Victoria. Philharmonic Hall is the place which has been selected for the two days' sale, and, before it takes place, there will be a considerable amount of decoration done, while the stalls will be appointed and disposed in the most attractive manner. It is well understood that the managers of the event are the most experienced and best skilled caterers for the demands of bazaar-goers, and they are, this time, doing their duty nobly. All who contemplate being present will be more than well satisfied with them and, therefore, those who have any money which they are inclined to spend with the idea of helping a good object and, at the same time gratifying some of their friends, will bear in mind the 10th and 11th inst.

Rev. William Pollard.

For some weeks past the death of Rev. William Pollard, one of the oldest Methodist ministers in the province of British Columbia, has been expected, and, yesterday afternoon, he was compelled to succumb to the weight of years and the physical ailments by which he has been afflicted. He was born in Sussex, England, about seventy-five years ago, and came to Canada in 1842. Previous to leaving his native land he had been a Wesleyan local preacher, and the year of his arrival in the eastern province he joined the ministry of the Wesleyan Church, in connection with which he served in many of the leading churches, filling most acceptably, among others, the pastorate of the church in the city of Quebec. In 1871 he was sent to British Columbia to take charge of this district in connection with the authorities of the Missionary Society; the health of the late Rev. E. White, father of Rev. J. H. White, having failed, compelling him to return to Ontario. Mr. Pollard served as pastor of the Pandora street church for four years, from which he was transferred to New Westminster. During his third year's pastorate in the latter circuit the condition of his health made it necessary that he should desist from work, and he took a superannuated relation which lasted until the present time. The deceased was an excellent preacher and a faithful pastor. His sermons were characterized by their strength and clearness, he being eminent as a disciplinarian. For several years after his superannuation he occasionally supplied pulpits of other churches, by which he was much appreciated. Being threatened with paralysis he finally gave up all pulpit effort about four years ago, since which his health and strength have visibly declined. Four of his daughters were respectively married to Mr. Burgess, Rev. Joseph Hall, Mr. Hezekiah G. Hall, and Mr. Gordon F. Grant. His only son, Mr. W. Pollard, is a member of a prominent law firm at Los Angeles. Rev. Mr. Pollard was, for seven years, from 1871 to 1878, chairman of the British Columbia district, and exercised considerable influence upon church affairs. The funeral will take place from the late residence of the deceased, on the Saanich road, on Wednesday, at two o'clock, and at 2.30 p.m. from the Pandora avenue church. A number of prominent ministers are expected to officiate in the ceremonies, among them the President of the B. C. Conference.

P. O. Home.

The ladies' committee thankfully acknowledge the following donations in May:—Fruit—Mr. Doughty, A Friend, Mr. Rogers; clothing—Mrs. J. W. Williams, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. T. Tugwell; milk, daily—Mrs. D. Harris; meat, cake, pies, fruit, candies and nuts, Hebrew Ladies' Festival; eggs and butter—A Friend; cake, butter, meat and biscuits—A Picnic Party; ink—Mr. Dowler; biscuits, pies and cold meat—Mrs. Davies, Victoria Gardens.

Wanted for Arson.

John Metcalf, who is wanted by the police for setting fire to the house and barn of Roger Montgomery, a wealthy farmer living near Los Angeles, Cal., was seen in this city yesterday. The gentleman who recognised the runaway from California justice, has given particulars of the offence for which Metcalf is required, to the police, and a telegram is expected from California to-day, ordering his arrest. Metcalf is a colored man, and has been here for about three months.

A Transfer of Leasehold.

An English capitalist acquired, last week, through the B.C. Land and Investment Co., the leasehold rights to the property on Douglas street, from Fort to View, held by Mr. William Croft, for $10,000. The lease has 98 years yet to run, and the intention of the purchaser is to erect a commodious business block of four stories, as handsome as any building in Victoria. Mr. Croft still retains the Royal, and will occupy the Fort and Douglas street corner of the new building for hotel purposes.

Interviewing the Premier.

A strong deputation of Victoria sealing men waited upon Hon. Mr. Robson yesterday, to secure his assistance in presenting to the authorities their protest against the passage of any law to provide a close season, at the present time. As a result of the interview, the premier forwarded to Ottawa a telegram explaining the position of the sealers, and emphasizing that if the measure now before the Imperial Commons became law, it would prove ruinous to all engaged in the sealing industry in this province.

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JAMES MORTIMER,
m17-1m Auctioneer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned intends to apply to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer of the liquor license of the Occidental Hotel from Wm. Jensen to Berryman and Andrews.
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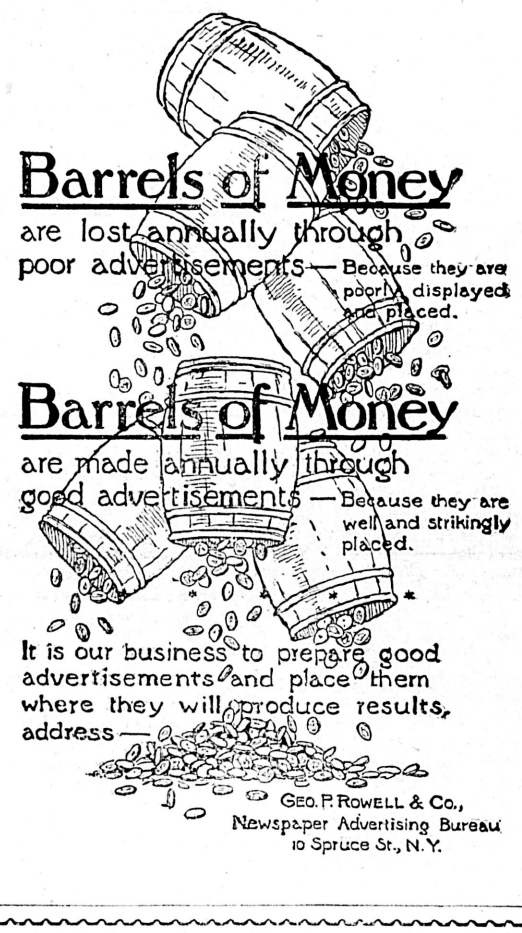

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Moon rises—1.55 a.m.

Day of the year, 153-d.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, May 31, 1891.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 a.m.

1 a. m.,	51°	Mean 55°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	49°		
9 a. m.,	53°	Highest 67°	5 a.m.—Calm
1 p. m.,	66°		1 p.m.—8 miles S.W.
5 p. m.,	59°	Lowest 48°	9 p.m.—28 miles S.W.
9 p. m.,	49°		Rain—

Average state of weather—Fair.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 1, 1891.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m.,	49°	Mean 55°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	48°		
9 a. m.,	59°	Highest 64°	5 a.m.—12 miles S.W.
1 p. m.,	63°		1 p.m.—12 miles S.
5 p. m.,	61°	Lowest 48°	9 p.m.—12 miles S.W.
9 p. m.,	52°		Rain—

Average state of weather—Fair.

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" Princess Louise..... " N. Westminster.
" Yosemite............ " "
" Mystery............. " Barclay Sound.

OUTWARDS.

Str. Islander............ for Vancouver
" North Pacific....... " Port Townsend
" City of Puebla...... " San Francisco.
" Mystery............. " Nanaimo.
" Isabel.............. " Nanaimo.
" Princess Louise..... " N. Westminster.
" Pilot............... " Nanaimo.
" Danube.............. " Nanaimo.
" Yosemite............ " N. Westminster.

THE INBOUND FLEET.

From Acapulco—
Br. sp. Duke of Abercorn, Hastings Sawmill, seeking, 68 days.
Bk. Bassandro, Hastings Mill Co.
From Cardiff—
Br. bk. Serica, Naval Store-keeper, 114 days.
Br. sp. Blair Athole, Naval Storekeeper, 83 days.
From Glasgow—
Br. sp. Morayshire, Bell, I. & P., 86 days.
Br. bk. Noddleburn, D. McGillivary, 15 days.
Br. bk. Rothemay, 29 days.
From Liverpool—
Br. bk. City of Carlisle, R. P. R. & Co.
Br. bk. Callao (for salmon), R. P. R. & Co.
Br. str. Empress of Japan, Canadian Pacific S.S. Co., 53 days.
Br. str. Empress of China, Canadian Pacific S.S. Co.
Br. str. Grandholm, Union S.S. Co., 17 days.
Bk. Ullock, on berth.
From London—
Br. sp. Duke of Argyle, Bell, I. & P., 153 days.
Br. bk. Lebu, R. P. Rithet & Co., 47 days.
Br. bk. Wanlock, Turner, Beeton & Co., 22 days.
Br. bk. Deva, Turner, B. & Co., 153 days.
Br. sp. Titania, Bell, Irving & P.
From Manila—
Br. bk. R. S. Besnard, Sugar Refinery, 156 days.
From Newport—
Br. bk. Lanarkshire, Naval Yard, 113 days.
From Bristol—
Br. sp. Queen Victoria, Naval Store-keeper, 45 days.
From Caleta Buena—
Am. schr. Sailor Boy, J. W. Grace & Co., 38 days.
From Bangkok—
Br. ship Thermopylæ, Hall, Ross & Co., 33 days.
From Amoy—
From Monte Video—
Schr Otto, Walter Borns.
From Valparaiso—
Am. Schr Belle, of Bath, on berth.
From Honolulu—
U.S. Ship Ivy, Williams, Diamond & Co.
From Auckland—
U. S. schr. Leading Wind, on berth.
From Callao—
Nor. bk. Lotos, Moodyville S. Mill Co.
Br. H. B. Cann, Welch & Co.
Nor. bk. Borghild, Hastings Saw Mill.
From Rio de Janeiro—
Nor. schr. Saga, 20 days.
Ger. bk. Katinka, Moodyville Mill Co.
From Hiogo—
Sch. New City, on berth.

THE OUTBOUND FLEET.

Bark Irvine, for London, 42 days.

LOCAL.

Str. City of Puebla arrived from San Francisco yesterday afternoon with a large quantity of freight for Victoria.

Str. Alert is at Spratt's wharf receiving a new crank shaft.

Str. Danube left for the North last evening, with a full cargo, and a large number of passengers.

Sloop Helm will be hauled upon Clark's ways to-day to be repaired.

Str. City of Kingston broke her crank shaft yesterday, which will necessitate a lay over for a few days to have a new shaft put in by the Albion Iron Works. The steamer City of Seattle will take her place.

Str. Manozansita is in Esquimalt harbor, waiting the arrival of Pilot Francis, who is on his way down on the steamer Mexico from the North.

The Pilot returned from Tacoma yesterday morning and left for Nanaimo to tow the bark Fairchild to sea.

Str. Emma, Capt. Glaholm, has been withdrawn from the Victoria and Nanaimo route.

Str. Mystery returned from the West Coast yesterday morning. She reported the schooner Ariel lying in Ucolet harbor waiting for an Indian crew.

Steamship Parthia calls at the outer wharf to-morrow, on her way to China.

Schooner Halcyon has taken up her old quarters near Point Ellice bridge.

Str. Maude returned from Alberni last night with a medium cargo and six passengers.

Str. Boscowitz arrived from the North last night after having a very fine trip. Her passengers were seven Indians, two Chinamen, and a couple of white men. The Boscowitz brought a full cargo of box lumber.

Str. Danube which left the outer wharf about half-past nine o'clock, last night, for the North had on board in addition to a large passenger list and heavy general cargo three fishing boats for the canneries, and their crews, besides a number of live sheep.

PASSENGERS.

Per str. CITY OF PUEBLA from San Francisco; Miss Myrtle Scott, Mrs Clark, F E Fritz, V A Le Prince, A R Johnston, J F Wilshire, A S Ferguson, G E Farnsworth, Mrs Currey, Miss M Cohen, Mrs Currey, Miss H Currey, H Mai Veough, Rev D H Reid, G D McKay & wife, Miss Garesche, Mrs T G Mason, A A Mayber, Mrs E S Loud, C Matthews, Miss A Goodwin and sister, A S Neal and wife.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE from Westminster—G Leiser, Mrs Bart, G J Burrows, Judge Vowell, W G McKenzie, H Rand, E M Sloan, J Grant, Thos McNish, A Johnston, F Kirkland, H A Hicks, R Baker, F Raitt, G H Halam, J B Elliott.

Per Str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound:—Prof Herrman and wife, C Jamieson, Mrs Smith, L E Cox, L Tidewell, C Hargraves, C S Kite, G W Moore, C M Parkhurst and wife, Miss Knowlton, Miss Shelton, Mrs Levy, Paul Rorder, W Olsen, Geo Francis, A E McEachern, Robt Yule, G Ellis, J O Avery and wife, F Foster, R C Kobisk, F Duffy and wife, W O Robinson and wife, Miss McConnell, C Perrit, Thos Thornson, J Deneen, H Habel, F McIlhonry and wife, G M Ift and wife, Mrs Reed, J N Davids, J Marshall, C Carlson, J Anderson, O M Nelson, Mrs Munro, G Laird, M H Avery and wife, J C Graco, W H Sizer, W D Johnson and wife, E W Harris, H Dennis, J Mark, G B Huppert, G W Morley and boy, H E Baldwin, M Clinton, G W Clinton and wife, W J Chance, Mrs Hoyt, W J Lester, Mrs Revor, J K Wilson wife and daughter, Jas Peterson, M B Brownlee, Allan Muirhead, C Touster, J W Upper, T Sullivan, Miss Philbrick, J M Boyd, Geo Ido, J Keeler, Chas Morgan, I Patrick, H M Trickett, Miss Garmer, W M Cruskey, G Larson, C A M Mullen, D Eggleston and wife, F Sullon, Mrs Margison, Dave Stilton, Mrs Tomlius, J A Black, E Johnson, C Habit, W P McEachern, V A Crane, F Holman, R Crawford, J P Howe, J Brown, Mrs Eldekin, Wm Strift, A S Holland.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str. CITY OF PUEBLA from San Francisco: Albion Iron Works, A J Rowbotham, A Hamilton, A B Gray & Co, B Gordon, Brown Bros, Brunette Saw Mill Co, Cowan & Wilson, C McDonough, C H Rogers, D H Ross & Co, E B Marvin & Co, Ellis & Co, Fell & Co, Gam Fook Yuen, Geo E Clark, Geo Turnbull, Giovani Celli, Hudson Bay Co, Hang Far, H Saunders, Her Majesty's Dockyard, H Bornstein, J A Clearihue, J H Todd & Son, Jno Harling, J B Matthews, J Merrifield, Jno Leahy, Jno Barnsley & Co, Jas Fisher, Langley & Co, New West Ledger, L G Wing, Marvin & Tilton, Matthews R & T, Mercado Cohen, Munro & Hughes, Nicholles & Renouf, Order, P McQuade & Son, R P Rithet & Co, P K G Co, R Baker & Son, S Leiser, Spratt & Gray, Sin Hop Lee, Thos Shotbolt, Thos B Hall, T Earle, Vaio & Brooks, Vic Roller Flour & Rice Mills, W Jackson jr & Co, W P Sayward, W J Pendray, W Hamilton, Yue Vin Guo, Wells Fargo & Co, Thos B Hall, F Earle, A W Wright, Allen & McDonald, A Godfrey & Co, J Robson, Creighton F & Co, Columbia Carriage Factory, Cunningham Bros, Hennelly Cosmopolitan Hotel, E B Madell, F R Stewart, Geo Wagg, Hastings Mill Co, Jno Craig, Jno Fyen, J L Douglass, J Williams, J E Davis, J Canning, Leary & Kyle, McMillan & H, Oppenheimer Bros, Philip Bros, B Larson, B Wade, R V Winch, R Wimaty, F R Clark, Thos Dunn & Co, Urquhart Bros, W Ralph, W Crickmay, Wm Reed.

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m31-2t W. JAMIESON, R.S.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described tract of land situated on Cormorant Island, in Rupert District:—Commencing at the southwest corner of the Indian Reserve No. 1; thence east 994 links; thence north ten chains; thence east 30 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west to the northwest corner of Indian Reserve No. 2.

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AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,

For the purpose of electing five members of the Senate.

I. W. POWELL, Chancellor.

J. M. O'BRIEN, Secretary.

May 27, 1891. m30 3t

THIRTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for a lease of the undermentioned tract of lands, for lumbering purposes, situated on Skeena River:

Tract No. 1—Commencing at a stake marked A on the east side of the falls on the west creek running into Moore's Cove; thence 320 chains south; thence 20 chains west; thence 320 chains north; thence 20 chains east to stake.

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May 9, 1891. my27 1m

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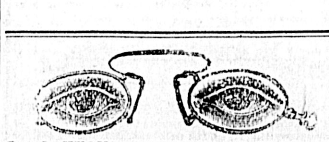

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De 8.00 A.M	De 3.30 P.M		VICTORIA	78	Ar 12.24	Ar 6.58
" 8.04	" 3.34	1	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	77	" 12.20	" 6.54
" 8.14	" 3.44	4	ESQUIMALT	74	" 12.10 P.M	" 6.44
" 8.39	" 4.09	11	GOLDSTREAM	67	" 11.45	" 6.19
" 9.34	" 5.04	28	SHAWNIGAN L'E	50	" 10.50	" 5.24
" 9.44	" 5.14	31	COBBLE HILL	47	" 10.40	" 5.14
" 9.57	" 5.29	35	McPHERSON'S	43	" 10.27	" 4.59
" 10.07	" 5.39	38	KOKSILAH	40	" 10.17	" 4.49
" 10.12	" 5.44	40	DUNGAN'S	38	" 10.12	" 4.44
" 10.22	" 5.54	43	SOMENOS	35	" 10.02	" 4.34
" 10.48	" 6.16	52	CHEMAINUS	26	" 9.36	" 4.12
Ar 11.50 / De 11.59	" 7.14	73	NANAIMO	5	De 8.34 / Ar 8.25	" 3.14
Ar 12.14 P.M	Ar 7.29	78	WELLINGTON		De 8.10 A	De 2.59 P.M

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YESTERDAY'S DESPATCHES.

Got Even on Her Betrayer.

BERLIN, May 31.—A new version of "the skeleton at the wedding feast" has been furnished at the Prussian town of Neusalce. A tailor, named Bergaman, who some time ago wronged his sweetheart, has ever since refused to marry the girl, but until recently has supported her child. When the remittances ceased the mother refrained from urging their continuance until she learned that Bergaman intended to marry another woman. She then quietly obtained judgment against the betrayer, and while the wedding banquet was being served she made her appearance with the writ, and caused a bailiff to seize all the wedding presents. The company fled and the festivities were brought to a sudden and unhappy close.

Aid For Miss Baskett.

LONDON, May 31.—A subscription is being taken for Miss Nellie Baskett, the young woman whose evidence served to bring Captain Verney and his fellow conspirators to justice. The young woman is dependent entirely on her own resources. She could have received thousands of pounds had she consented not to have appeared against Verney, whose family was very wealthy, but the authorities found a good witness. The subscription already amounts to a handsome sum.

Germany Friendly to England.

BERLIN, May 31.—Germany has shown her friendliness to England, especially in naval matters, in one more respect, namely, by allowing two English fishery survey steamers certain privileges in the baltic, including coaling at Heligoland.

Corn Duties to be Reduced.

LONDON, May 31.—A dispatch from Berlin says that it has been decided to reduce the corn duties and that the Reichstag will be convened next Thursday to consider a measure prepared by the government for that purpose.

Terrific Dynamite Explosion.

STOCKHOLM, May 31.—Twenty-five thousand dynamite cartridges exploded to-day at Falun, causing a shock like an earthquake It was felt for a score of miles in all directions. The building in which the explosive was stored was blown to splinters and one man was killed and a number seriously injured. The structure was in an isolated location, so that not much damage to other property was inflicted.

Cornering Corn.

VIENNA, May 31.—It is learned that a syndicate of English and American speculators have bought 30,000,000 marks' worth of corn, which they will store at Lubeck. The German authorities have made a careful inventory of the corn supply, and as a result, many Russian orders have been countermanded.

Bishop Downe Preaches in London.

LONDON, May 31.—Bishop Downe, of Albany, preached in St. Paul's Cathedral this evening, his sermon being from Acts. There was a large attendance and the discourse was well received. The Bishop's voice proved equal to the requirements of the cathedral.

ALMOST CAME TO BLOWS.

Sullivan and Jackson Have an Encounter in a San Francisco Saloon—The Colored Pugilist Anxious to Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—An affair that came close to being a bare-knuckle fight occurred in Peter Jackson's saloon, last night, when Sullivan and Jackson met for the first time.

They were angry and their eyes flashed as they recognized each other.

Both were on the verge of a good hard round or two, when friends interfered and separated them as they were pulling off their coats to begin.

It was after midnight, and there were few witnesses to the affair.

The story, as told by one who saw the trouble and listened to the conversation, is as follows:

Sullivan, as is his custom after his show is over, took in the sights about town, last night, with a party of friends, and among other places the party visited Peter's saloon.

Hess, Peter's partner, was behind the bar and he recognized Sullivan, and the conversation soon turned to the recent contest.

Sullivan began by showing why Corbett should have whipped Peter in shorter order, and frequently referred to Peter in very abusive terms. "Corbett ought to have licked him sooner, and I wish that he had, for I don't like the coon and don't think he is a fighter," said Sullivan.

It appears that other ears than Hess' overheard the conversation, and they belonged to Jackson.

Jackson had attended the Greggains-Turner contest, and returning to his saloon had gone into one of the side rooms. He heard Sullivan's abuse until he could stand it no longer.

Walking out into the bar-room, Jackson went directly up to the big fellow and pretended not no know him, tapped him on the shoulder, saying:

"Look here, young man; you do not know what you are talking about. You are talking through your hat."

Sullivan glared at Jackson like a lion, but the latter did not flinch. Sullivan evidently did not know that he was talking to Jackson and, giving Pete a contemptuous look, roared:

"Who are you talking to? I don't stand such language from your kind of people."

"Well, I am talking to you, and I repeat that you are talking through your hat," was Jackson's determined reply.

A fight looked imminent at this moment, and Sullivan's friends stepped between the two men and tried to separate them.

Jackson, however, would not have it, and throwing the peacemakers aside, he again remarked "You are talking through your hat."

Sullivan began taking off his coat.

Jackson, quick as a flash, opened his vest and was on the point of pulling off his coat and vest when friends again crowded about Sullivan and induced him to leave the saloon, and he did not leave it unwillingly, either.

CAREER OF CRIME.

It Ends In Landing a Young Man in Sing Sing.

NEW YORK, May 30.—A remarkable career of crime ends to-day with the sending of David Waldo Pierce to Sing Sing, sentenced to hard labor for three years for stealing a diamond scarf pin, valued at $25. Pierce is good looking, well educated, 19 years old, and comes from an excellent Boston family. Enough indictments are hanging over him to keep him in jail for the rest of his natural life. His father, a clergyman, is dead. His mother is well off, and discarded him, but allowed him sufficient money to live on. He came here, entered a course of wild dissipation with rich young men and soon acquired expensive tastes. He then began a system of petty swindles. To keep up with the fellows he ran up large bills at fashionable tailors and riding schools, sometimes making bogus checks and inducing hotel proprietors and friends to cash them. About one month ago, while intoxicated on the street, he was arrested and recognized by the police as wanted by a man to whom he had sold a valueless ring for a large amount, and by a young woman from whom he stole a diamond scarf pin. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced as told above. Among other villanies he married a young girl and deserted her the next day, after stealing her savings.

JOHNSTOWN IN MOURNING.

Second Anniversary of the Calamity Sacredly Observed.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 31.—To-day being the second anniversary of the Johnstown flood, the people of that city were left alone with their mourning, the several thousand visitors of yesterday having departed. Hundreds spent the entire day in Grand View cemetery, besides the graves of their dead, which had been strewn with flowers.

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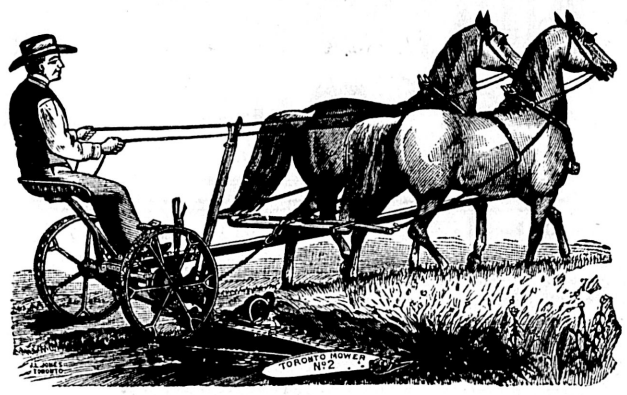

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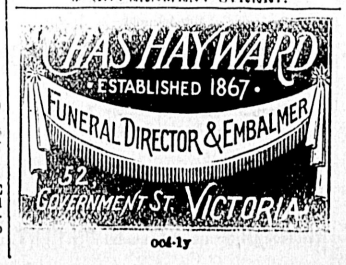

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Estate of Samuel Gray, deceased, late of Chemainus.

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Estate of Arthur Peatt, deceased, late of Colwood, Metchosin District.

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TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at its next regular sitting, for a restaurant license to sell by retail wines and beer at the building now being erected by the B. C. Land & Investment Agency, in the City of Victoria, and to be known as the "Balmoral Restaurant."
F. W. GARLAND.
Victoria, May 10th my14-1m

TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at its next regular sitting, for a license to sell by retail wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors at the building now being erected by me on Lots 11 and 12, section 29, Beckley Farm, situate on Dallas Road, in the City of Victoria, and to be known as "Hotel Dallas."
WM. JENSEN.
Dated this 5th day of May, 1891. my6-30t

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NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

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H. F. HEISTERMAN.
GEO. W. HAYNES.
m3-1m FOSTER MACGURN.

NOTICE.

AT THE NEXT MEETING of the Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for a transfer of my license of the Nickel Plate Saloon, Government Street, to Arthur Fox.
my13-1m THOS. GARVIN.

IN PARLIAMENT OF CANADA.

In the matter of an application by the Victoria and North American Railway Company for a Private Bill authorizing the said Company to operate a ferry from Becher Bay across the Straits of Fuca to some point in the State of Washington.

Notice is hereby given that the Victoria and North American Railway Company (a company this day incorporated by the Legislature of British Columbia) will at the approaching session of the Parliament of Canada present to the said Parliament a petition praying that the rule requiring two months notice of application for a Private Bill be suspended, and that leave be granted to the applicants, notwithstanding the omission on their part to publish the required notices for the full period of two months, to present a petition for the passing of a Bill in accordance with the notices already published by the undersigned in the DAILY COLONIST, of 31st March ultimo, and Canada Gazette, of the 4th April instant.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1891

LITTLE LOCALS.

The Victoria Lacrosse Club's second twelve are requested to turn out for practice at Beacon Hill to-night.

The excavations for the new Driard are now ready for the foundations. Little or no rock has been encountered.

Baby carriages and bird cages at CHEAPSIDE. *

Twenty-eight interments, the bodies in four cases being of Chinese, were made in Ross Bay cemetery during May.

Only a couple of Refrigerators left at McLennan and McFeely's. Call early. *

Mr. Charles Wilson's garden on Catherine street boasts of ripe and luscious strawberries. These are the first of the season.

Mrs. M. M. Brown, clairvoyant readings and magnetic treatment. Room 5, Delmonico. *

Maud C.'s friends attribute her ill-luck on the Olympia track to her being outclassed. She is expected to make a much better showing at Kent.

To Westminster Saturday afternoon, and back Sunday morning, is now a popular trip with those who like to close the week with a little outing.

Stone jars, from 1 quart to 5 gallons, at R. A. Brown & Co 's, Douglas street. *

It is announced that the result of the excursion on Saturday afternoon to Strawberry Vale Farm resulted in the sale of a number of eligible building lots.

The proprietors of the Victoria Gardens announce a repetition of the great trapeze performance and slide for life, with band in attendance, next Saturday.

A nice line of pocket knives, razors, scissors, and table cutlery. just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

The Germania Society had a very pleasant picnic at Cadboro Bay on Sunday afternoon. They took out the bus "Young America," besides many private vehicles.

See the 300-candle power and other lamps at R. A. Brown & Co's, Douglas street. *

The authorities of the Gorge Road Methodist Church have chartered the steamer Princess Louise for the purpose of an excursion to Pedder Bay on 1st July.

Chenille curtains in all the latest styles and colors in great variety just received by Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

The Convocation of the University of British Columbia will be held this morning, at 11 o'clock, in the Parliamentary buildings, to elect five members to the Senate of that institution.

Lawn mowers and gardening tools at CHEAPSIDE. *

A disreputable character, for whom the police are on the look out, has been making himself objectionable in a well cared for garden on Collinson street. He may find himself behind the bars very shortly.

Only a few members of Convocation having arrived from the Mainland to attend the Convocation of the University of B. C. this morning, it is hoped that all the residents who are qualfied will be on hand in order to secure a quorum, twenty-five being required.

Simpkins & Simpson, merchant tailors, 86 Government street. Dress suits a specialty. my14-1m

In the police court, yesterday morning, R. B. McMicking, J.P., called the attention of the Chief of Police to the fact that several men were in the habit of driving over crossings very fast, making it dangerous for people to cross the roads. Such a practice, he said, should in some way be stopped.

Breeding and other cages at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street. *

Residents in the neighborhood of the outer wharf have been grumbling with a vengeance lately over the failure of the electric light at the corner of Erie street and Dallas road to make itself seen through the darkness. This light, when it behaves properly, is a very useful and much appreciated one.

It is understood that hereafter the Free Library will be closed on Saturday afternoon, to enable the librarian and his assistant to take a holiday, but it will be open again at seven o'clock for the public convenience, Saturday night being one of the best occasions which many of our people have for providing for their intellectual enjoyment and instruction, the whole of Sunday being before them for the purposes of their studies.

AN INTERESTED LONDON CITIZEN.

Mr. James Perkins, a member of the ancient corporation of the city of London, who has made the tour of the world in the Empress of India, was a visitor here at the invitation of the Mayor to witness the fetes held in celebration of Her Majesty's birthday. He has been south to San Francisco, Del Monte, Menlo Park, etc., and returned via the Mount Shasta route to Portland, and thence by way of Tacoma, Seattle and Port Townsend. He was greatly struck with the rapid growth of those towns, which will in a few years have taken the place of forest land. He then visited Port Angeles in order to inspect a town in its infancy, so to speak, and destined, he believes, to equal Seattle on account of its magnificent natural harbor—adapted alike for a port of refuge in violent storms or a port for commerce which must follow when the town is more advanced. He was so pleased with the progress already made there that he took up a 40-acre block, and is prepared to recommend his friends in London to follow his example, believing from its vicinity to Victoria that it has a grand future before it. He has his eye also on some property here, and intends to promote the laying out of English capital in this neighborhood. Mr. Perkins has been for 14 years a member of the corporation of the city of London. He was formerly the proprietor of a London newspaper, which he disposed of to Mr. Thomas Hughes, the author of "Tom Browne's Life in Oxford," at a time when he was seeking to become a member of Parliament, and required an organ to disseminate his views.

THE CLOSE SEASON.

The Bill Prohibiting Sealing in Behring Sea Passes its Second Reading.

The Government Endeavoring to Arrive at a Friendly Conclusion With the United States.

LONDON, June 1.—In the House of Commons, to-day, the Hon. W. H. Smith moved the second reading of the bill for a close season in the Behring Sea. He said that the Government was endeavoring to arrive at a friendly conclusion with a kindred power. No Order-in-Council would issue under the bill unless assurances were obtained that the conditions of the arbitration were satisfactory, and sealing would be prevented except as to the 7,500 seals necessary for the natives. The arrangement appeared the best that could be obtained.

Sir Jas. Ferguson said he believed the reply about to be addressed to the United States Government would bring them together. That harmony would soon be obtained.

The bill then passed its second reading.

In the Behring sea debate, Hon. W. H. Smith said the bill was the result of a desire on the part of all parties to make an amicable arrangement, which was certainly to be preferred to more barbarous methods of settling the difficulties. The delay in submitting the question to Parliament had been partly due to the illness of the Canadian Premier. Mr. Smith expressed his sorrow that so valuable a life seemed about to end. The consent of the Dominion to the bill was subject to conditions, one being that ships fitted out under the British flag for lawful fishing in Behring's Sea should be compensated for any loss incurred during the period of prohibition, which would continue until 1892, within which time it was expected that the arbitrators would make an award. It was not proposed to issue the order unless Russia consented to entire prohibition. There was every reason to hope for the co-operation of Canada in making the necessary regulations. He did not urge the House to accept the bill on the ground of absolute right and justice, but as a friendly act to a friendly power.

Sir Wm. Harcourt agreed that a serious misunderstanding between England and the United States would be a great calamity, and he expressed satisfaction at the course adopted. He also wished to associate himself with the language of the right hon. gentleman regarding Sir John Macdonald.

Sir Stavely Hill said while approving of the arrangement, he thought it a mistake to suppose that the seals within Behring's Sea were in danger of extermination. His information showed a likelihood of more seals this year than for a long period.

Mr. Chamberlain said that Mr. Smith had referred only to the assent of Russia to a close time. He understood that the German flag had also been seen in Behring's Sea, and he hoped the government would ascertain the position of the maritime powers generally toward the question.

Sir Jas. Ferguson said the government had abundant evidence of the diminition of the seals in recent years, and it was now necessary to prevent the wholesale destruction of the seal. Arbitration concerned not only the rights of England, the United States and Canada, but also measures for the preservation of the seals. The matters to be referred to arbitration were still the subject of correspondence.

PERSONAL.

T. L. Morrissey, of Montreal, is at the Driard.

J. M. Ink, of Agassiz, was in town yesterday.

H. J. Wright, of Cowichan, is at the Oriental.

G. Laird, of Nelson, was at the Oriental last night.

W. R. Angus, of Montreal, was at the Driard yesterday.

G. W. Clinton and wife, of Union, are stopping at the Driard.

M. B. Brownlee, of Butte, Montana, is registered at the Driard.

Gus Leiser and A. W. Vowell returned from the Mainland on Sunday.

J. K. Wilson, wife and daughter arrived over from Seattle last evening on the North Pacific. Mr. Wilson is ill with tonsilitis.

William Sharp, foreman of the Union mines, is in the city, the guest of W. H. Routledge. He will remain over several days.

J. C. Bennett, of the Gate City Land and Improvement Company, Port Angeles, is in the city, looking after the affairs of his company.

Sir John Macdonald.

In most of the churches, on Sunday, touching references were made to the condition of Sir John Macdonald, and fervent prayers were offered in his behalf.

MARRIED.

RENDELL-SELWYN—June 1, at Christ church cathedral, by the Ven Archdeacon Scriven, assisted by the Rev. H Kingham, Edward Rendell, of Nanaimo, B.C., eldest son of Thomas Rendell, Taunton, England, to Sarah, third daughter of the late William Selwyn, also of Taunton, Somerset, England.

DIED.

POLLARD—In this city on the first instant, of paralysis, William Pollard, a native of Sussex, England, aged 71 years.

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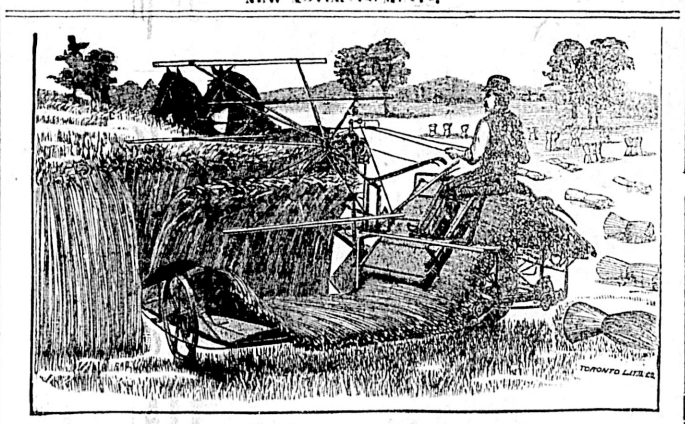

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